

For the safety and enjoyment of all children:

- Children are required to wear socks and shoes at all times.
- Please do not bring personal toys/items from home.
- Rough housing and horseplay are not acceptable behaviors.
- The YMCA is not responsible for personal items.
- Parents will be asked to pick their children up for inappropriate behavior, if they become sick, or if a child is crying for an extended period of time. (usually 10 minutes is the max)
- The maximum number of children allowed in Childwatch at a time is 21.

The YMCA is a non-profit organization, which means donations to the Y are tax deductible. We would greatly appreciate any new or gently used toys or books to continue to improve our program area. If you would like to make a donation, please inquire at the member service desk.

Middle Tyger YMCA

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**Middle Tyger
YMCA
CHILDWATCH**



Welcome to Childwatch!

On behalf of the Middle Tyger YMCA staff, we are very pleased to welcome you and your family to our YMCA! As our children play, so shall they grow in spirit, mind, and body in a fun, safe, atmosphere. For the safety and well-being of all, please be aware of our rules and policies.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to ask our staff for assistance.

Hours of Operation:

Monday -Thursday:

8am - 1pm & 4pm - 8pm

Friday:

8am—1pm

Saturday:

8am—11am

Ages:

6 weeks—12years old

The Childwatch Program is a free service to members with family memberships. If your child is not on your membership, you may upgrade at any time.

Visits to the program should not exceed a maximum of 2 hours per visit. **There will be a charge of \$1 per minute for late pick up.**

Parents **must** remain on the YMCA premises while children are in the Childwatch program.

Sick children are not allowed in the program at any time. If a child becomes sick after checking in, the parent will be located to check him/her out immediately. No child will be allowed in the program with signs of fever, sore throat, rashes, runny noses, vomiting, diarrhea, or any infectious illnesses (pink eye, ringworm, chicken pox, lice, etc).

If your child is in diapers or going through potty training, please notify the Childwatch Staff when you check in. **Please bring extra diapers,/pull-ups, wipes, and a change of clothes.** Parents should change their child's diaper before checking them in. Staff are not permitted to apply any type of medication to the child while changing their diaper.

For safety reasons, only YMCA staff are allowed in the Childwatch area.

There is a cost of \$2 per hour per child for all children that are not Y members.

We ask that you mark all bags, cups, pacifiers, or any personal items brought into Childwatch with you. We are not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged items.

Due to allergies, No food is allowed in Childwatch.

Only a bottle or a sippy cup are allowed.

Discipline Policy:

1st offense – verbal warning

2nd offense – time out

3rd offense – written behavior report

If a child receives a behavior report, parents are asked to sign it and then it will be turned in to the Membership Director. Suspension and/or expulsion from the program is at the discretion of the Membership Director. In extreme behavior cases, your child may be immediately suspended from the program.

Signing In & Out: When you sign in your child, please put your full name, a contact number, allergy information and your location in the facility.